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Chief of Station, Karlsruhe

20 May 1960

Acting Chief, FDR

Attn: MDR

Requested Payment for GAISON 19

REFERENCE: DILB-3000, 2007-1001

1. DILB-3000, which was sent to Munich for action with information copies to Karlsruhe and Washington, requested approval to pay GAISON 19 1000 DM if he succeeded in accomplishing the mission which was assigned to him. He prepared a cable approving the request but, when it became evident that GAISON 19 could not succeed in the mission, the cable was not sent. We then received DILB-3001, approving the request for payment.

2. All requests for money payments must be approved at Headquarters; no field station is authorized to approve such a request from another base. In the above case we assumed that Munich would have realized that paragraph 3 of DILB-3000 was for Washington action even though Berlin did not specifically say so.

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cc: MDR, RDR

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